



Jesse Lee Williams

May 8, 1925 - December 10, 2013

Jesse Lee Williams, 88, of Richmond, Virginia departed this life December 10, 2013. He was born to the late Carrie Jones and Bill Williams in North Carolina. He was preceded in death by his son, Larry Jones; three siblings, Hattie Sampson, Mary Pitt and Nathaniel Williams; three sisters-in-law, Bertha Ross, Margaret Green and Thelma Cosby.

He received his education at Edgecombe County, North Carolina public school after which he joined the United States Navy and served in World War II and received an honorable discharge. He married the love of his life Hazel on July 28, 1956.

Jesse was formally employed with Liggett & Myers Tobacco Company for nineteen years and later worked for AH Robins as a maintenance supervisor until his retirement in 1990.

He was a wonderful husband, father, grandfather, great-grand-father and provider for his family. Jesse enjoyed spending time with his family and had long lasting friendships with his neighbors. Jesse enjoyed traveling, working on cars and making wine. He was a great sweet potato pudding maker; that was his speciality. Jesse liked gospel music with his two favorites being, "Take Me to the King" and "Rough Side of the Mountain". His most cherished saying was "I can do all things through Christ which strengthens me".

He leaves to cherish his memory a loving and devoted wife, Hazel W. Williams; five caring daughters, Lola McQuinn (Samson), Hazel Cheatham (Carol Lee), Tyeatta Evans (Patrick), Brenda Sanders and Patricia Emerson; three grandchildren, Dwaine Tolliver (Sylvia), Latonya Grant (Charles) and Marcellus Cheatham III; two sisters-in-law, Ida Legrande and Bonita Strickland; one brother-in-law, Garland Strickland Jr.; a host of grandchildren, one devoted, Dwaine Tolliver and great-grandchildren, one devoted, Dwaine Tolliver II; and a host of nieces, nephews, many other caring relatives and friends.

He will truly be missed by his loved ones and as Jesse would say:
“Leave It Alone”

Cemetery Details

Forest Lawn Cemetery

4000 Pilots Lane
Richmond, VA 23222

Previous Events

viewing

DEC 12. 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home-Laburnum Chapel
Richmond, VA 23222

Family Hour

DEC 12. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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Service

DEC 13. 12:30 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home -Laburnum Chapel
2110 E. Laburnum Ave.
Richmond, VA 23222

Tribute Wall



“ *Jesse Lee Williams*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Our family would like to express our condolences to your family. May you find comfort from Jehovah God's Word The Bible. He assures us at 1 Corinthians 15:26 that "the last enemy death will be brought to nothing." Our prayers are with your family.*

linn & family - December 16, 2013 at 01:07 PM



“ *My condolences to the Jesse Lee Williams Family, In this time, of your loss, May our Heavenly Father Jehovah God comfort you. It's very hard when you lose someone very dear and close. I am deeply sorry to hear about your loss. May you draw ever closer to our Heavenly Father Jehovah God in this grievous time. Your love ones ARE asleep. As God's Word the Bible speaks of a time when you will and can see your love ones again. Forever on a Paradise Earth! My condolences goes out to you and your family. may you all continue to have peace and blessings, my deepest sympathy. Jas.4:8, 2Thess.2:16,17, Psm.34:18*

R. Wms. - December 14, 2013 at 10:51 AM



“ *Uncle Jesse you will be missed dearly. I wish we had the chance to get closer but I cherish the time we did get to spend together. You will be missed and you are loved. R.I.P*



Mica Lacy - December 12, 2013 at 11:22 PM

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“ Please accept our deepest condolences. In situations like this, we all think that we have the perfect thing to say, but in reality, we don't. May God bless Jesse and take him into his Holy Kingdom and God, Please Bless Hazel and The Family and wrap them in your loving arms.

Charles E. Strickland Sr.
Strickland Family of Charlotte, NC

Charles E. Strickland Sr. - December 11, 2013 at 03:36 PM

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“ I would like to offer my deepest sympathies to you. I know the pain of a broken heart. Our Heavenly Father feels our pain. Psalms 34:18 assures us that He is near to those broken at heart. He does, however, hold out a promise that in the very near future He will wipe out all tears of sorrow and pain from our eyes and death will be no more. (Revelation 21:3-5) He also promises to remember all those in the memorial tombs (graves) and restore them to life. (John 5:28,29) Until those words are fulfilled, may you find much peace and comfort in God and in His promises found in the Holy Scriptures.

The Williams Family - December 10, 2013 at 04:18 PM



“ We the March Family and Staff wish to extend our deepest and heartfelt sympathy in the passing of your loved one. Our prayers go out to you and your family in your time of loss. We know and understand that you have received many expressions of love and we will continue to lift you up in prayer. May the memories you cherish of brighter and happier days help to ease your sorrow and comfort you always.

March Funeral Homes - December 10, 2013 at 03:36 PM